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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:  
Condon et al.

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For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR  
CONFIGURING COMPUTERS

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicant petitions for a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the Final Office Action dated June 4, 2003. This petition, if granted, will extend the period for response until October 4, 2003, which does not exceed the six-month statutory period.

Attached is a check in the amount of \$ 880.00 (\$110.00 of which covers the extension fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 08-1394, Order No. 16356.486 of Haynes and Boone, LLP, for any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment.

In view of the foregoing it is requested that this petition be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

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